

THE AMADOR LEDGER.

Published November 1, 1855.

JACKSON, AMADOR COUNTY, CALIFORNIA, FRIDAY, APRIL 17, 1903.

Ten Cents Per Copy.

LAWYERS.
SPAGNOLI
Attorney and Counselor at Law
In all the States and Federal courts
Spagnoli building, opposite Hall of

CALDWELL
Attorney-at-Law
Office in all courts of the State,

F. DAVIS
— LAWYER —
Summit Street, opposite Courthouse

NOTARIES.
DA CLOUGH
Stenographer and Notary Public
Office in all courts of the State,

DOCTORS.
ENDICOTT, M. D.
Physician and Surgeon
Webb building. All calls promptly
answered at all times.

E. V. TIFFANY
Physician and Surgeon
PLYMOUTH, CAL.
—Forrest House. Hours—8 to 9 a. m.,
2 to 4 p. m. and by appointment.

L. E. PHILLIPS
Physician and Surgeon
JACKSON, CAL.
—Main street. Residence at Amador
City. Hours—8 to 9 a. m.; 1 to 2, and
5 to 6 p. m.

A. M. GALL
Physician and Surgeon
JACKSON, CAL.
—Main street. Residence at Amador
City. Hours—8 to 9 a. m.; 1 to 2, and
5 to 6 p. m.

J. H. O'CONNOR
Physician and Surgeon
SUTTER CREEK, CAL.
—Main street. Residence at Amador
City. Hours—8 to 9 a. m.; 1 to 2, and
5 to 6 p. m.

N. STAPLES, M. D.
Physician and Surgeon,
AMADOR CITY, CAL.
—Main street. Residence at Amador
City. Hours—8 to 9 a. m.; 1 to 2, and
5 to 6 p. m.

DENTISTS.
C. A. HERRICK
— DENTIST —
Main street. Hours from 9 a. m. to
5 p. m.

JOHN A. DELUCCHI
— DENTIST —
Main street. Hours from 9 a. m. to
5 p. m.

MISCELLANEOUS.
3 or more gold assays at one time \$1 each
Furnish sample bags free. Send for price
card. 48 hrs. time saved over San Francisco

HARD RUSSELL SMITH
— JEWELRY and
METALLOGICAL CHEMIST
39 N. American St., STOCKTON

High Casey
SPECIALTIES
Miller Bourbon
Wholesale
Liquor
Dealer
Sacramento
Cal.

W. H. WONDERLEY.
Machines
Rented
and Sold
on Easy
Terms.

UNITED STATES MAIL
Daily Stage Line
Between Jackson, Pine Grove
and Volcano.

T. A. MARSINO - PROPRIETOR
Leaves Jackson daily at 6:30 a. m.
Arrives at Pine Grove about 9 a. m., and
at Volcano about 9:30 a. m.

Call and See M. Barsi.
Proprietor of
MARTELL STATION HOTEL
AMADOR COUNTY, CAL.
Board and Lodging of the best quality at
reasonable rates.

W. H. WONDERLEY,
de19 Sutter Creek, Cal.
Needles, Oils and parts for standard
makes of Machines.
Repairing neatly done and work guar-
anteed. Call on or address.

W. H. WONDERLEY,
de19 Sutter Creek, Cal.
Needles, Oils and parts for standard
makes of Machines.
Repairing neatly done and work guar-
anteed. Call on or address.

Call and See M. Barsi.
Proprietor of
MARTELL STATION HOTEL
AMADOR COUNTY, CAL.
Board and Lodging of the best quality at
reasonable rates.

W. H. WONDERLEY,
de19 Sutter Creek, Cal.
Needles, Oils and parts for standard
makes of Machines.
Repairing neatly done and work guar-
anteed. Call on or address.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY OF AMADOR COUNTY.

State Senator.....Hon. W. C. Ralston
Assemblyman.....Hon. C. H. McConney
Superior Judge.....Hon. R. C. Rust
Sheriff and Tax Collector.....T. E. Norman
Deputies.....Fred Jackson, H. E. Kay
County Clerk and Auditor.....C. L. Gilbert
Deputy County Clerk.....J. R. Hubert
District Attorney.....C. P. Vicini
Treasurer.....Geo. A. Gritton
Recorder.....D. A. Patterson
Assessor.....John Marchant
Deputy Assessor.....George F. Mack
Superintendent of Schools.....Geo. A. Gordon
Coroner and Administrator.....Geo. M. Huberty
County Surveyor.....Wm. Brown
County Physician.....Dr. M. G. Hall
Steward of County Hospital.....A. C. Barrett

SUPERVISORS.
Township One.....M. Newman
Township Two.....W. M. Ames
Township Three.....August Grillo
Township Four.....E. B. Moore
Township Five.....Lawrence Burke

TOWNSHIP OFFICERS.
TOWNSHIP ONE.
Justice of the Peace.....H. Golden
Constable.....A. Leverone

TOWNSHIP TWO.
Justice of the Peace.....James McConley
Constable.....J. E. Kelley

TOWNSHIP THREE.
Justice of the Peace.....A. W. Robinson
Constable.....James Lesley

TOWNSHIP FOUR.
Justice of the Peace.....W. L. Rose
Constable.....D. F. Gray

TOWNSHIP FIVE.
Justice of the Peace.....J. Blower
Constable.....William Scobie

DAILY STAGE LINE
J. Steiner, Proprietor.
Jackson, Sutter Creek, Amador
City, Drytown, Plymouth.

Leaves Plymouth at 6:30 a. m.
Leaves Jackson at 2:30 p. m.
Arrives at Jackson in time to catch the
Mokelumne Hill stage.

**OFFICES—Jackson, National Hotel; Sutter
Creek, American Exchange; Amador
City, Amador Hotel; Drytown, Ex-
change; Plymouth, Forest House.**

Prompt delivery of packages.
Fare—Plymouth to Jackson, \$1.50; Jack-
son to Sutter, 50c; round trip, \$2.

CHEAP BUILDING LOTS FOR SALE
Lots for sale in the Webb-Mason
tract. Will be sold at bed-rock
prices, for cash, or on instalment
plan. Lots fronting on Stump
and Center streets. Before pur-
chasing a residence lot call at
LEDGER office and get prices.

A. H. KUHLMAN
Contractor and Builder
Will do work in any part of
Amador County. If you want
to build, send a note to Jackson
Postoffice and I will call on you.
Estimates furnished without cost
on any kind of building. Will
make plans and specifications for
you. mar21

SINGER'S
Dont
Buy a
Sewing Machine
Until you have
Consulted with
W. H. WONDERLEY.

Agent for the Latest Im-
proved Drop-head SINGER.
They are finished in several
different styles, designed to
please all. As to material,
workmanship and design, we
invite inspection. Remember
we guarantee each and
every machine, keep it in
order, and teach you to thor-
oughly understand all at-
tachments, and make all
kinds of work free of charge.
If you pay to deal with a good
responsible Company, and not
with jobbers.

W. H. WONDERLEY,
de19 Sutter Creek, Cal.
Needles, Oils and parts for standard
makes of Machines.
Repairing neatly done and work guar-
anteed. Call on or address.

W. H. WONDERLEY,
de19 Sutter Creek, Cal.
Needles, Oils and parts for standard
makes of Machines.
Repairing neatly done and work guar-
anteed. Call on or address.

W. H. WONDERLEY,
de19 Sutter Creek, Cal.
Needles, Oils and parts for standard
makes of Machines.
Repairing neatly done and work guar-
anteed. Call on or address.

W. H. WONDERLEY,
de19 Sutter Creek, Cal.
Needles, Oils and parts for standard
makes of Machines.
Repairing neatly done and work guar-
anteed. Call on or address.

W. H. WONDERLEY,
de19 Sutter Creek, Cal.
Needles, Oils and parts for standard
makes of Machines.
Repairing neatly done and work guar-
anteed. Call on or address.

W. H. WONDERLEY,
de19 Sutter Creek, Cal.
Needles, Oils and parts for standard
makes of Machines.
Repairing neatly done and work guar-
anteed. Call on or address.

W. H. WONDERLEY,
de19 Sutter Creek, Cal.
Needles, Oils and parts for standard
makes of Machines.
Repairing neatly done and work guar-
anteed. Call on or address.

W. H. WONDERLEY,
de19 Sutter Creek, Cal.
Needles, Oils and parts for standard
makes of Machines.
Repairing neatly done and work guar-
anteed. Call on or address.

W. H. WONDERLEY,
de19 Sutter Creek, Cal.
Needles, Oils and parts for standard
makes of Machines.
Repairing neatly done and work guar-
anteed. Call on or address.

FREAKS OF WEATHER

FOGS, WINDS AND STORMS OF VA-
RIED PECULIARITIES.

The "Williwaw" That Spends Itself
Upon Tierra del Fuego—The "Fohn"
Wind of Switzerland and the Pe-
riodical "Purga" of Siberia.

In mountainous countries, such as
Scotland, a fog usually forms at the
top of a hill and works downward.

The cold mountain top, cooling a warm
current of wet air, renders its moisture
visible, and this cold fog, being of low
temperature than the air below and
therefore heavier, drops gradually to
the valley. Colorado, however, can
show an exception to this general rule.

There in winter the frost on the low
ground is so intense that a fog often
forms in the valleys and works slowly
up the mountain side. This is known
by the Indian name of "pogonny."

Peru has hundreds of square miles
along its coast of rainless country. In
this tract rain is never known to fall
from one century's end to another. Yet
the region is not entirely barren of ve-
getation. Some parts of it, indeed, are
comparatively fertile. This is due to the
extraordinary fog known as "gar-
ras." They prevail every night from
May to October after a summer that is
sultry and extend up to a level of 1,200
feet above the sea. Above 1,200 feet
rain falls.

The "callina" of Spain is a fog we
must be grateful that we do not have.
It is a dry, yellow mist which some-
times hides the sun for days at a time
over vast tracts of country and makes
the sky look as though covered with
leadens haze.

Another peculiar freak of weather
we must be thankful to escape is the
"williwaw." This form of storm is
confined to that faroff island Tierra del
Fuego. The coast is indented with
deep bays crowned with high moun-
tains. Down from their gorges drops
the "williwaw." A low, hoarse mutter-
ing is heard in the distance. Sudden-
ly, without the least preliminary puff,
a fearful blast of wind drops upon the
sea. The water is not raised into
waves, but driven into fine dust. For-
tunately the shock lasts but ten or
twelve seconds, and calm follows at
once, for no vessel could stand such a
whirlwind even for a minute. During
the coming and going of a "williwaw"
the barometer may be watched to drop
a tenth of an inch or more and rise
again at once.

Similar in name if not in nature is
the "willy willy" with which Kalgoorlie
gold diggers are acquainted, to their
cost. "Dust devils," some people call
them. Half a dozen may be seen dan-
cing harmlessly along over the desert
when suddenly one will dive into the
city and fill all the shop windows in
Hannan street with dust and sand,
blinding every passerby. The "willy
willy" is a thief of the worst kind. It
will steal the washing from a line or
the roof from a shed. In some parts of
the country wire ropes are anchored
over the roofs of huts to save them
from the attacks of these odd little
whirlwinds.

Most people have heard of the "fohn"
wind of Switzerland, that warm, dry
gale which comes over the mountains
and in spring will melt two feet of
snow in a day. Its cause is most pecu-
liar. The "fohn" comes from the south.
As it strikes the Alps it is wet,
like most gales which have crossed the
sea, but the south face of the moun-
tains receives its rain, and as it crosses
the summits it is dry. The moving air
current is also compressed and there-
fore dynamically heated. As it falls
into the northern valleys in a cataract
of air it gains heat at the rate of half
a degree for every 100 feet of descent.
It usually blows for two or three days,
causing great suffering by its dry heat
and oppression. While it lasts the tem-
perature is about thirty degrees above
the average. The "fohn" of British
Columbia and the western side of
the United States is very similar to the
"fohn."

England has adopted the American
word "blizzard" for a gale with snow.
But the blizzard, however, must yield
to the ferocious "buran" of the central
steppes of Asia and the "purga" of
northern Siberia. To be caught in gales
such as these means death in a very
few minutes, however warmly clad, for
the very air becomes unbearable, so
filled it is with spikes of ice drift.

"Khamzin" is the hot wind from the
desert which blows out of the Sahara
upon Egypt. The word means fifty
days. The "khamzin" is terribly hot
and dry and sometimes brings pesti-
lence with it.

Red snow we have all heard of. It
is caused by a microscopic infusorial
growth and only occurs in snow that
has lain unmelting for a long time. In
Switzerland recently green snow has
been noted tinted by similar organisms.

"Gold dust" snow has often been
seen, but only in spring. At one time
it was a mystery how the surface of
new fallen snow came to be strewn
with a shining yellow deposit. Now it
is known to be due to the pollen of
pine trees—Pearson's Weekly.

Chicken Pox and Smallpox.
The eruption of chicken pox has an
imperfect resemblance to that of small-
pox, but can never be mistaken for it
by the experienced eye. In smallpox
the eruption of papules first appears
on the forehead, the "papules" always
become "blisters," and the latter al-
ways develop into pustules—that is,
sooner or later their contents get
changed into pus. Then the center of
the pustules undergoes a peculiar sink-
ing that in some measure resembles the
depressions in a cushion or padded
chair where the "buttons" are seen. In
chicken pox there is no such uniformity
of sequence, and the depressions are
absent.

To Cure A Cold in One Day
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tab-
lets. All druggists refund the money
if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's sig-
nature is on each box. 25c.

Two papers for the price of one—
Ledger and Sacramento Weekly Rec-
ord—Union for \$2.50 per year.

PIONEER FLOUR always has been
and still is the best.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the
Signature of *Dr. J. C. Watson*

Subscribe for the Ledger. Only \$2.50
a year.

W. H. WONDERLEY,
de19 Sutter Creek, Cal.
Needles, Oils and parts for standard
makes of Machines.
Repairing neatly done and work guar-
anteed. Call on or address.

W. H. WONDERLEY,
de19 Sutter Creek, Cal.
Needles, Oils and parts for standard
makes of Machines.
Repairing neatly done and work guar-
anteed. Call on or address.

W. H. WONDERLEY,
de19 Sutter Creek, Cal.
Needles, Oils and parts for standard
makes of Machines.
Repairing neatly done and work guar-
anteed. Call on or address.

W. H. WONDERLEY,
de19 Sutter Creek, Cal.
Needles, Oils and parts for standard
makes of Machines.
Repairing neatly done and work guar-
anteed. Call on or address.

W. H. WONDERLEY,
de19 Sutter Creek, Cal.
Needles, Oils and parts for standard
makes of Machines.
Repairing neatly done and work guar-
anteed. Call on or address.

WONDERS OF THE NEEDLE.

Beautiful Work of the Artisans of
Former Centuries.

The wonders of the needle were in
ancient times in Egypt, India, Baby-
lonia and Phenicia mainly lavished
by women on veils and hangings for
temples. Connoisseurs consider the veil
decorating the tomb of Mohammed at
Medina, priced at 10,000,000 rupees,
the most marvelous piece of embroidery
ever made. Its pattern, a cunning
interlacing of scrolls and arabesques,
exclusively delineated with rare pearls
and precious stones, produces, when
exposed to the rays of the sun, a stu-
pendous effect of coloring, soft and har-
monious and equal to the bold gracefulness
of the design. Linen, silks, leather
and the richest stuffs were in turn
beautified with the little insignificant
tool, the needle.

Diaphanous Indian muslin charmingly
embroidered with green beetle wings
is still renowned, as well as examples
of plaited spangles and artificial pearls
strewn amid devices wrought in gold.
But when we try to find the in-
comparable Decca muslin thirty yards
of which were once enclosed for a tur-
ban in an ordinary cocoon incrustated
with gems and presented by a Persian
ambassador to his master, the shah.
Other varieties known as invisible
have also disappeared. The term origi-
nated from the fact that when draped
in water or spread out on the grass the
material was lost to the eye through its
extreme fineness.

The trained fingers have disappeared,
and through modern competition cus-
tomers are no longer willing to pay the
real value of genuine hand work. This
superiority of eastern craftsmen over
their western fellows was recognized
centuries ago, first by Portuguese, who
were in the habit of sending satin to
India to be embroidered by the natives
after European designs, a fashion
which at times renders somewhat puzzling
the classification of the marvels
of handiwork.

The French followed suit, since the
majority of the Louis XVI. court sets,
including coats, waistcoats and breeches
in satin, velvet, plush or corded silk,
so exquisitely adorned with delicate
sprays and admirable borders wrought
in satin and tulle, were due to the skill
and industry of the Chinese, who have
reproduced the French devices with
floss silk in such lovely and fast colors,
which still appear in all their beauty,
with a mellowness imparted by time,
which further adds to their charm.—Ledger Monthly.

BOOKS AND READING.
Reading is to the mind what exercise
is to the body.—Addison.

A home without books is like a room
without windows.—Beecher.

To read without reflecting is like eat-
ing without digesting.—Burke.

Books are the best things well used;
abused, among the worst.—Emerson.

Next to acquiring good friends the
best acquaintance is that of good
books.—Cotton.

Some books are to be tasted, others
to be swallowed and some few to be
chewed and digested.—Bacon.

Half the gossip of society would per-
ish if the books that are truly worth
reading were but read.—Dawson.

What is a great love of books? It is
something like a personal introduction
to the great and good men of all past
times.—John Bright.

The three practical rules I have to
offer are: (1) Never read any book that
is not a year old; (2) never read any
but famed books; (3) never read any
but what you like.—Emerson.

What Makes Things Grow.
According to Maurice Springer, a
French writer on the subject, the en-
ergy of growth is closely related to
electric energy and may be identical
with it. At any rate, growth energy is
closely connected with the phenomenon
called osmosis—that is, molecular pres-
sure due to differences of density in
adjacent liquid masses. Such molecu-
lar pressure in the cells of the body he
believes to be the phenomenon that un-
derlies the multiplication of these cells
in growth, and osmosis has been shown
by experiment to be closely connected
with electricity. The writer referred
to believes that we shall soon be able
to measure growth energy as we now
do heat or electricity and perhaps con-
trol it so as to produce tall or short
families or races at our pleasure.—
Success.

Perfectly Safe.
A tourist in a remote part of Ireland,
having stayed the night at a wayside inn
not usually frequented by visitors,
informed the landlord in the morning
that his boots, which had been placed
outside his room door to be cleaned,
had not been touched.

"Ah, shure," said the landlord, "and
you might put your watch and chain
outside your room door in this house,
and they wouldn't be touched."—Lon-
don King.

Quite Similar.
La Mont—Who is that old fellow
that is always hunting for you to buy
him a drink?
La Moynie—He claims to belong to
the upper crust.

La Mont—The upper crust, eh? Well,
I notice he is always short and always
dry.—Chicago News.

Plenty of Truth.
"Perhaps," ventured the unsuccess-
ful contributor, "you didn't consider
my little ode true to life."
"Oh, it was true enough," replied the
editor. "I assure you there was more
truth than poetry in what you said."

What is known as "goose flesh" usu-
ally results from a low condition of
the system and is really a slight chill. If
you have such attacks often, it would
be wise for you to consult a physician.

MAN KILLING HORSE
THE WAY HE ACQUIRED HIS HATRED
FOR HUMANKIND.

It All Began With the Cruel Treat-
ment He Received in His Childhood.
Violent Incidents That Marked His
Downward Career.

The development of a vicious horse
from an innocent colt is described by
Sewell Ford in one of the stories in
"Horses Nine." The colt's disposition
was first spoiled by ignorant and cruel
handling on the farm of one Perkins.
Then he was sold, and his subsequent
career is thus pictured:

In the winter during which he trailed
over the fruit district of southern Mich-
igan in the wake of the horse buyer
Blue Blazes learned nothing good and
much that was ill. He finished the trip
with raw heels, a hoof print on his neck
and withers. Horses led in a bunch do not
improve in disposition.

Some of the scores the blue roan colt
piled in kind, some he did not, but he
learned the game of give and take. Men
and horses alike, he concluded, were
against him. If he would hold his
own, he must be ready with teeth
and hoof. Especially he carried with
him always a black, furious hatred of
man in general.

MEALS BY WHOLESALE.

Extensive Kitchen Arrangements of
the Modern Hotel.

The kitchen arrangements of the
modern hotel are on the first basement
floor. There is a chef, but so far as I
could see he does not cook. He is sim-
ply a captain of the seventy-five other
cooks, who work in three relays of
twenty-five each. There is no range,
but a solid bank of broilers—immense
griddles, beneath which are the fires
that never die. As for the 400 loaves
of bread and 8,000 rolls required daily,
the chef does not worry his mind over
the patent cutters and mixers and
ovens and staff of bakers needed to
supply the simple item of bread or con-
corn himself with the quality of the
1,100 pounds of butter that are each
day required to go with it.

I must not forget the item of eggs.
Eighteen thousand are required every
twenty-four hours. Baked eggs do not
get overdone. They are boiled by clock-
work. A perforated dipper containing
the eggs drops down into the water.
The dipper's clockwork is set to the
second, and when that final second has
expired the little dipper jumps up out
of the water, and the eggs are ready
for delivery. There are men who do
nothing else but fill and watch and
empty these dancing dippers, and it
seemed to me a great fun.

On another part of this floor is the
dishwashing, where great galvanized
baskets lower the pieces into various
solutions of potash and clean rinsing
water, all so burning hot that the
dishes dry instantly without wiping.
Sixty-five thousand pieces of china-
ware are cleaned in a day and an al-
most equal quantity of silver. All
told, there are 800 employees in the
kitchen departments of this huge liv-
ing machine.—Albert Bigelow Paige in
World's Work.

SUCCESSFUL SMUGGLER.
The Schemes He Worked to Deceive
the Customs Officials.

"There is money in smuggling," said
the retired dealer in precious stones as
he leaned back, "but it is dangerous to
carry on the business, as possible sus-
pects are carefully watched and, if nec-
essary, traced till they are finally
caught. However, I knew one man
who pursued the trade of diamond
smuggling for fifteen years and was
able to retire to respectability. He
was buyer for one of the large business
houses in New York, and his business
sent him to Europe two, three and
sometimes four times a year. Every
time he returned he had with him from
\$10,000 to \$20,000 worth of gems which
he did not declare.

"His trick was perfect simplicity
combined with ingenious boldness. His
hair was scanty, and at the top of his
head he had a most delightful little
bad spot. Customs officers as they
came and went all knew him, and as
they knew him he had a most pro-
nounced way where his other acquaint-
ances saw a bald spot. That was a
work of art, made of wax and gum,
and it contained two or three big stones
that would have been a find for the
men on the pier.

"The good cigar that he had just lit
and allowed to go out held a few more,
and sewed in the handle of the grip
that he carelessly turned over to the
inspector of the officers were the rest
of them. He never varied the trick,
and he never lost. Each trip was worth
a couple of hundred dollars to him and
a great many hundred more to those
who employed him. Now, that man
considered himself strictly honest. He
would not steal a cent from an individ-
ual, yet he schemed and plotted to
rob the government."—New York Press.

The Reluctant Request.
Edgar—Ethel, I've left my umbrella
downstairs.
Ethel—Well?
Edgar—I'm afraid I'll have to leave
me the gold handled umbrella you gave
me on my birthday.—Detroit Free
Press.

A Notable Occasion.
"Quite a stormy time at the theater
this week," said the jockey manager.
"What happened?"
"The lightning calculator performed
to thunders of applause."—Washington
Star.

The Suburban Child.
They were suburbanites, and they sat
at breakfast, when a letter was handed
to the mother, which she read with
rapidly increasing consternation. "How
unspeakably dreadful!" she exclaimed.
"Ocella Rodney's entire family has
been practically wiped out. Her mother
has died, and her father, her brother
and her cousin, all in the same
month!"

Ethel (four years old, who in her
brief career has experienced all the
joys and woes of the suburbs)—Did the
cook die, too, mamma?—Harper's Mag-
azine.

Her Own Idea.
"Your daughter," said Mrs. Oldcastle
after being conducted through the new
ly finished wing of the magnificent pal-
ace occupied by the Bullingtons, "has
such a splendid vocabulary!"
"Do you think so?" her hostess re-
plied. "Josiah wanted to get her one
of them dictionaries, but I made up my
mind right at the start that a vocabu-
lary would look better in a room fur-
nished like hers even if it didn't cost
quite as much."—Chicago Record-Her-
ald.

Know What He Meant.
"That grocer of ours speaks the most
fragmentary English of any one I ever
heard," said Mr. Precise.
"You mean 'broken English,' my
dear," corrected Mrs. Precise. "You
know he is a German."
"I mean fragmentary," repeated Mr.
Precise. "The man stutters."—Judge.

M. E. Church Services
Preaching every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30
p. m. Sunday school, 9 a. m.; Senior Epworth
League, 6:45 p. m.; Midweek Prayer meetings,
Thursday, 7:30 p. m.

Rev. G. H. Van Vleet, pastor.

All kinds of Blanks for U. S. Land Filings—
A. Homestead, Timber and Mineral Claims—
have been had at the Ledger office; also deeds,
mortgages, mining locations, proof of labor,
and other legal blanks kept for sale.

The Sacramento Weekly Record
and Ledger for one year, only
\$2.50 in advance.

Send for free sample.
SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists,
409-415 Pearl Street, New York.
50c. and \$1.00; all druggists.

KNOWING FIRE HORSES.

How They Learn to Start With the
Jigger and Get the Swing.

The intelligence

THE AMADOR LEDGER

Published Fridays by
Amador County Publishing Co.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES:
One year (in advance) \$2.50
One year (if not in advance) 3.00
Six months 1.25
Three months .75
One or more copies, each. 10

Legal advertising—per sq. in. first insertion. \$1.00
Subsequent insertions—per square each. .50

ENTERED AT THE POSTOFFICE AT JACKSON AS
SECOND-CLASS MATTER.

R. WEBB Editor and Manager

FRIDAY—APRIL 17, 1903

THE INDUSTRIAL SITUATION.

Not since the organization of Amador county has the industrial situation in this section been so beset with difficulties as at present. There is perhaps nothing more paralyzing to business interests than a labor strike. It is a declaration of war between the forces of labor and capital—the employees and the employers. On the side of the former is arrayed the weight of numbers; on the side of the latter is arrayed the influence of wealth and property. If prolonged the struggle is as devastating to industry and business as the desolation caused by an invading army through a fertile and smiling territory.

The present calamity that has suddenly overtaken the mining industry of which Jackson is the center, is appalling from any standpoint. In round numbers nearly 1000 men have been thrown out of employment; machinery and enterprises costing in the neighborhood of three million dollars have been brought to a dead standstill, except keeping the shafts clear of water, a necessary precaution against a total collapse of these costly works. All the vast business enterprises dependent upon the mining industry are panic stricken. Property holders and tradesmen are alarmed not merely on account of the immediate stagnation of business, but more so on account of what the future may bring forth.

Fortunately the strike so far has been unattended by any acts of physical violence. It is hoped this will continue to the end. The mine owners have made no effort to continue work with non-union labor. Neither side has evinced a disposition to yield the vital points in issue. Unquestionably the point that brought about the almost total depopulation of the underground works was the issue of shorter hours. The men were dissatisfied with the long working day of ten hours, and the hope of relief in this respect made the path of the union strikers much easier than it would otherwise have been. This question, however, might no doubt have been settled satisfactorily without the extreme measure of a strike. The mine owners have for some time had the subject of shortening the working hours under consideration. If, as it is claimed, a miner can do as much work in eight hours as he has heretofore done in ten, the owners would have nothing to lose by the change. A trial of a nine-hour day would unquestionably have been conceded by the companies. If this resulted in no diminution in the amount of work done, no increase of expense, a trial of an eight-hour system would probably come next. The recognition of the union, and reinstatement of discharged men are different propositions. The Ledger has always conceded the right of workmen to organize as labor unions for their own protection. It has been opposed to coercion of other employees by the union element. It is opposed to dictation of employers by labor organization. It believes that industrial peace and prosperity can be lastingly had only by employers retaining the utmost freedom in the transaction of their business. The situation in Jackson has undergone a complete change within the past few days. And we are compelled to look upon the situation as it exists, not as we would wish to have it. From a non-union camp, it has been transformed into a union town. We must accept the verdict as an accomplished historical fact, however discordant it may be to our convictions. With the entire business community, we join in the hope that the unfortunate condition of affairs may be speedily terminated.

A Rutland, Vt., jury recently awarded \$2500 damages to a local manufacturing company which brought suit against one hundred members of a labor organization, to compensate it for losses and expenses growing out of a strike, and the employment of detectives and watchmen to protect its property and non-union employees. The property of the defendants has been attached to cover the award.—S. F. Chronicle.

Murder of Speech

Is stuttering, stammering. Melbourne Institute (patent rights protected), Van Ness and Market, San Francisco (Los Angeles branch), guarantees cure by celebrated Australian system, or fees refunded, fares paid. Stammerers are sensitive, slow to act. Friends are true; real friends who quickly send addresses—confidential. Special rates 60 days. No immorality or dissipation tolerated.

DOCUMENTS RECORDED.

[The following instruments have been filed for record in the recorder's office since our last report. We publish a complete list of documents recorded, and must decline to accede to any request to suppress any document from these columns. Don't ask us to do so.]

DEEDS.
A. Chichizola to Lawrence Hyler—Land in Amador City; \$60.
Nellie Hyler to John Phipps jr.—Land in Amador City; \$200.
J. W. and Martha A. Violet to Catherine L. Amick—Land in Ione; \$10.
Catherine L. and J. M. Amick to Martha A. Violet—Land in Ione; \$10.
Mary L. and D. McCall to James W. Violet—Land in Ione; \$150.
Kate May Dillon to Harriet and D. B. Pardee—All of section 27 (wp 5 r 9 e, 617 60-100 acres; \$10).

Lawrence Hyler to Nellie Hyler—Land in Amador City; love and affection.
Lawrence L. Cuneo and wife to the Standard Electric Company—Perpetual right of way and maintenance of buildings and canals on Wild West quartz mine, Volcano mining district; \$200.
Lorenzo Oneto to Chichizola Estate Co.—Land in Amador City; \$5.
John Mahoney to Mary Mahoney—Land and personal property in and near the town of Sutter Creek; \$10.

POWER OF ATTORNEY.
Kate May Dillon to Maurice Casey.
AFIDAVIT OF FACT OF GIFT.
John Petrovovich, af, relating to mining claim at Plymouth in favor of George Petrovovich.

CERTIFICATE OF REDEMPTION.
Mabel Ahart et al.—S of SE 1/4 of sec 8 and S 1/2 of SW 1/4 of 9-7-13, 160 acres; \$24.17.
DECLARATION OF HOMESTEAD.
Minnie V. Spagnoli—House and lot in Jackson.

LIS PENDENS.
Maria Giannini vs. Giacomo Giannini and Mary M. Giannini—Partition of real property in the SW 1/4 of sec 18 wp 7 n r 11 e, containing 2.78 acres and improvements.

CHATELAIN MORTGAGES.
O. T. French to Geo. A. Upton—Personal property in Plymouth.
W. B. French to Geo. A. Upton—Personal property in Plymouth.

MORTGAGES.
Teresa Retaliglatia to Chichizola Estate Co.—S 1/2 of NE 1/4 SW 1/4, and SE 1/4 of sec 29 wp 7 n r 13 e, containing 280 acres; \$580.52.

Geo. W. Walker et ux to A. L. Adams—N 1/2 of NW 1/4 sec 9 wp 6 n r 10 e, and SE 1/4 of NW 1/4 sec 9 wp 6 n r 10 e, 120 acres; \$382.

AGREEMENT.
Michele Ratte and wife with Antonio A. and Lucy J. Mello to sell Silver Star quartz mine near Jackson.

ATTACHMENT.
San Francisco Mercantile Union vs. Theresa Guisto—Land in secs 9-10 and 15, wp 6 r 11.

Report of the Del Monte Mines for April, 1903.

JACKSON, CAL., April 6, 1903.
To the Subscribers and Stockholders:—
The Superintendent reports as follows:

Distance run on cross-cut tunnel in March, 60 feet.

Total length of cross-cut tunnel on April 1, 1903, 721 feet.

Cost of labor and materials, \$792.50.

Cost per foot, \$13.20.

Drift run from west shaft east during March, 48 feet.

Cost labor and materials, \$151.72.

Cost per foot, \$3.16.

Road construction, \$16.50.

The rock encountered in the cross-cut tunnel is extremely hard, having the appearance of quartzite, with stringers of quartz running across it.

The general character of the rock seems to indicate the possibility of another fissure, though at present it is hard to say.

Assays were made on the ore shown where we cut the fissure at 600 feet, presumably the Pina Vita, and small values obtained.

The assay samples taken from the different sides of the tunnel show that the pay shoot lies to the west. How good this will be only be determined by drifting west on the ledge.

We have now, fairly good indications that pay shoots will be found both in the Pina Vita and the Riverside ledges, on drifting west, and with good backs above.

In the drift above the 200 foot tunnel we passed through about 75 feet of fair ore, when we came to the old Le Foy shaft. We caught up the old ground here, and run the drift through this shaft into solid ore on the east side again.

We will soon make connections with the old 110 ft. level, which is clear to the main level. From this point we will connect with the central ore chute if practicable, or make one in the main shaft. This will open up all the reserves above the 200 level, and we can then take out and mill whatever rock we have in sight on the drift along the drifts now being made.

The assays along this upper drift west of the Le Foy shaft, show values averaging about \$12.00.

The samples were taken by our secretary, J. Geo. I. Wright, from which the assays were made, and the conclusions arrived at by the superintendent are also concurred in by him.

Respectfully submitted,
JAS. J. WRIGHT,
Asst. Secretary.

Due Notice is Served.

Due notice is hereby served on the public generally that DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is the only salve on the market that is made from the pure, unadulterated witch hazel. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve has cured thousands of cases of piles that would not yield to any other treatment, and this fact has brought out many worthless counterfeits. Those persons who desire the genuine DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve are never disappointed, because it cures. Kerr's Pharmacy, Jackson.

Looks Natural.

E. C. Fisher, Wells, Fargo messenger, came in as guard on the Wednesday night stage. It looked natural to see "Fish" on duty. He was kept busy all evening shaking hands with his numerous Jackson friends. Mr. Fisher was a messenger on the stage lines running out of Jackson for several years, and his genial pleasant ways made him friends wherever he went. He is now located in Merced, in charge of the various lines running out of that town.

Good For Children.

The pleasant to take and harmless One Minute Cough Cure gives immediate relief in all cases of Cough Croup and LaGrippe because it does not pass immediately into the stomach, but takes effect right at the seat of the trouble. It draws out the inflammation, heals and soothes and cures permanently by enabling the lungs to contribute pure life-giving and life-sustaining oxygen to the blood and tissues. Kerr's Pharmacy, Jackson.

No sideboard is quite complete without a bottle of "Jesse Moore" rye or bourbon whisky. It is better than the kind you have always considered best.

Money in Honey

As a business. A fascinating occupation for spare time. You can keep from 1 to 1000 live in town. We are headquarters for

Bee Hives

and beekeeping supplies. Langstroth Hives, all sizes, the latest and best, stock ready to ship instantly, \$4.00 or set up 1, or 1000 lot. An 8-frame, complete except comb honey sections and comb foundation, in crates of 5, \$12.50 Each.

Our prices are the same or less than reliable Eastern houses, and you save time by enabling the lungs to contribute pure life-giving and life-sustaining oxygen to the blood and tissues. Kerr's Pharmacy, Jackson.

Good For Children.

The pleasant to take and harmless One Minute Cough Cure gives immediate relief in all cases of Cough Croup and LaGrippe because it does not pass immediately into the stomach, but takes effect right at the seat of the trouble. It draws out the inflammation, heals and soothes and cures permanently by enabling the lungs to contribute pure life-giving and life-sustaining oxygen to the blood and tissues. Kerr's Pharmacy, Jackson.

No sideboard is quite complete without a bottle of "Jesse Moore" rye or bourbon whisky. It is better than the kind you have always considered best.

Money in Honey

As a business. A fascinating occupation for spare time. You can keep from 1 to 1000 live in town. We are headquarters for

Bee Hives

and beekeeping supplies. Langstroth Hives, all sizes, the latest and best, stock ready to ship instantly, \$4.00 or set up 1, or 1000 lot. An 8-frame, complete except comb honey sections and comb foundation, in crates of 5, \$12.50 Each.

Our prices are the same or less than reliable Eastern houses, and you save time by enabling the lungs to contribute pure life-giving and life-sustaining oxygen to the blood and tissues. Kerr's Pharmacy, Jackson.

Good For Children.

The pleasant to take and harmless One Minute Cough Cure gives immediate relief in all cases of Cough Croup and LaGrippe because it does not pass immediately into the stomach, but takes effect right at the seat of the trouble. It draws out the inflammation, heals and soothes and cures permanently by enabling the lungs to contribute pure life-giving and life-sustaining oxygen to the blood and tissues. Kerr's Pharmacy, Jackson.

No sideboard is quite complete without a bottle of "Jesse Moore" rye or bourbon whisky. It is better than the kind you have always considered best.

Money in Honey

As a business. A fascinating occupation for spare time. You can keep from 1 to 1000 live in town. We are headquarters for

Bee Hives

and beekeeping supplies. Langstroth Hives, all sizes, the latest and best, stock ready to ship instantly, \$4.00 or set up 1, or 1000 lot. An 8-frame, complete except comb honey sections and comb foundation, in crates of 5, \$12.50 Each.

Our prices are the same or less than reliable Eastern houses, and you save time by enabling the lungs to contribute pure life-giving and life-sustaining oxygen to the blood and tissues. Kerr's Pharmacy, Jackson.

Good For Children.

The pleasant to take and harmless One Minute Cough Cure gives immediate relief in all cases of Cough Croup and LaGrippe because it does not pass immediately into the stomach, but takes effect right at the seat of the trouble. It draws out the inflammation, heals and soothes and cures permanently by enabling the lungs to contribute pure life-giving and life-sustaining oxygen to the blood and tissues. Kerr's Pharmacy, Jackson.

No sideboard is quite complete without a bottle of "Jesse Moore" rye or bourbon whisky. It is better than the kind you have always considered best.

Money in Honey

As a business. A fascinating occupation for spare time. You can keep from 1 to 1000 live in town. We are headquarters for

Bee Hives

and beekeeping supplies. Langstroth Hives, all sizes, the latest and best, stock ready to ship instantly, \$4.00 or set up 1, or 1000 lot. An 8-frame, complete except comb honey sections and comb foundation, in crates of 5, \$12.50 Each.

Our prices are the same or less than reliable Eastern houses, and you save time by enabling the lungs to contribute pure life-giving and life-sustaining oxygen to the blood and tissues. Kerr's Pharmacy, Jackson.

Good For Children.

The pleasant to take and harmless One Minute Cough Cure gives immediate relief in all cases of Cough Croup and LaGrippe because it does not pass immediately into the stomach, but takes effect right at the seat of the trouble. It draws out the inflammation, heals and soothes and cures permanently by enabling the lungs to contribute pure life-giving and life-sustaining oxygen to the blood and tissues. Kerr's Pharmacy, Jackson.

No sideboard is quite complete without a bottle of "Jesse Moore" rye or bourbon whisky. It is better than the kind you have always considered best.

A Strike Thirty-Two Years Ago.

The present strike will undoubtedly recall to the minds of many of the old timers of Amador county the trouble that was precipitated by the Miners' League in this county in 1871, and we herewith publish a synopsis of what occurred at that time.

The Miners' League organized as a kind of mutual benefit association. It does not appear that any unlawful measures were at first contemplated; but organization gave the members an idea of strength and influence. Merchants joined the league, for fear of losing the trade of the miners; politicians, to make a few votes; and the lawless and desperate, to work against law and order in society. In Sutter Creek, it numbered about three hundred members, composed of Irish, Cornishmen, Austrians and Italians, and had a membership of perhaps as many more in other parts of the county. They built a large hall, cost several thousand dollars. Luke Burns, who had some experience in similar associations in Virginia City, was President, and L. J. Marks, Scotland, was Secretary.

The immediate cause of the outbreak was the reduction of twenty-five cents a day on the wages of the hands working on the surface, in the Consolidated Amador mine. After much discussion a general strike was agreed upon, also a determination to enforce it everywhere, and not permit the working of the mines unless at the proposed rates. The schedule of wages demanded by the Miners' League made very little advance over the existing rates, but the right to make even a small advance implied a right to control the working of the mines, and the mine owners refused to accept the rates. Members of the league to the number of two hundred visited the different mines, and ordered the stopping of the work. They carried no arms that were in sight, though according to some reports they supplied them with clubs from the wood-piles of the mills. It is now contended by some that no threats or force was used; that the miners went rather as a committee of conference than as a menacing party. They would not permit any work to be done, not even allowing an engine to be run to keep the water out. The mills at Amador, Sutter and Oneida have all stopped. It is true that some of the mines, like the Keystone, Consolidated, and others, have been paying wages, and could have paid higher wages and dividends also; but other mines like the Oneida had never paid dividends, but had always been worked at a loss. The wages paid varied from two dollars and a half a day for top hands, to four dollars for underground men. There was no plea that the wages were insufficient to support the families, or less than were paid in other laborious occupations, but it was intended to raise them to the Virginia and Gold Hill standard, where the expenses of living were much higher. The daily threats of destruction of life and property showed the extent of so much ill-feeling that the Governor was invoked for aid, and a body of volunteers, under General Crozenau, came from San Francisco and camped on the hill near the old Wolverine shaft. They had several pieces of artillery, and formed a regular military camp, sending out and relieving guards every evening for the different mines. The threats of life and property extended to other parts of the county. It seemed that the officers of justice were paralyzed. The newspapers of the county said little about it, as if fearful that a word might bring destruction upon them.

The result was a general prostration of business. The towns around the quartz mines had been the principal market for produce for some years, and when a thousand or more men were thrown out of employment and the money which was usually paid as wages ceased to circulate, the depression in business was universal, producing in some instances actual distress.

The soldiers remained in the county for several weeks, and prevented any destruction of property. Some kind of concession was made which terminated the siege, and the soldiers left, although the ill-feeling engendered by the operation remained for some time.

The damage to the county by this affair can hardly be estimated. The mines of gold and copper, as well as other minerals, require the aid of capital to be made profitable. Capital must be protected, or it silently shuts itself out. In subsequent years, the members of the Amador war diverted many thousands from investment in the county.

Rainfall.

Since our last report rain has fallen in Jackson as follows:

April 11..... 0.50

April 16..... 0.22

Total..... 0.72

Total for season..... 28.92

Same period last year..... 26.14

Shoriff and Tax Collector T. K. Norman wishes to call attention to the fact that taxes will be delinquent Monday, April 27. The books will positively be closed on that date.

You won't find "Jesse Moore" Whisky in cheap places—it isn't made for cheap men to drink. It is the best and demanded by the best people.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surface. Such articles should never be used except on the prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten-fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

Sold by Druggists, price 75c per bottle. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Money in Honey

As a business. A fascinating occupation for spare time. You can keep from 1 to 1000 live in town. We are headquarters for

Bee Hives

and beekeeping supplies. Langstroth Hives, all sizes, the latest and best, stock ready to ship instantly, \$4.00 or set up 1, or 1000 lot. An 8-frame, complete except comb honey sections and comb foundation, in crates of 5, \$12.50 Each.

Our prices are the same or less than reliable Eastern houses, and you save time by enabling the lungs to contribute pure life-giving and life-sustaining oxygen to the blood and tissues. Kerr's Pharmacy, Jackson.

Good For Children.

The pleasant to take and harmless One Minute Cough Cure gives immediate relief in all cases of Cough Croup and LaGrippe because it does not pass immediately into the stomach, but takes effect right at the seat of the trouble. It draws out the inflammation, heals and soothes and cures permanently by enabling the lungs to contribute pure life-giving and life-sustaining oxygen to the blood and tissues. Kerr's Pharmacy, Jackson.

No sideboard is quite complete without a bottle of "Jesse Moore" rye or bourbon whisky. It is better than the kind you have always considered best.

Money in Honey

As a business. A fascinating occupation for spare time. You can keep from 1 to 1000 live in town. We are headquarters for

Bee Hives

and beekeeping supplies. Langstroth Hives, all sizes, the latest and best, stock ready to ship instantly, \$4.00 or set up 1, or 1000 lot. An 8-frame, complete except comb honey sections and comb foundation, in crates of 5, \$12.50 Each.

Our prices are the same or less than reliable Eastern houses, and you save time by enabling the lungs to contribute pure life-giving and life-sustaining oxygen to the blood and tissues. Kerr's Pharmacy, Jackson.

Good For Children.

The pleasant to take and harmless One Minute Cough Cure gives immediate relief in all cases of Cough Croup and LaGrippe because it does not pass immediately into the stomach, but takes effect right at the seat of the trouble. It draws out the inflammation, heals and soothes and cures permanently by enabling the lungs to contribute pure life-giving and life-sustaining oxygen to the blood and tissues. Kerr's Pharmacy, Jackson.

No sideboard is quite complete without a bottle of "Jesse Moore" rye or bourbon whisky. It is better than the kind you have always considered best.

Money in Honey

As a business. A fascinating occupation for spare time. You can keep from 1 to 1000 live in town. We are headquarters for

Bee Hives

and beekeeping supplies. Langstroth Hives, all sizes, the latest and best, stock ready to ship instantly, \$4.00 or set up 1, or 1000 lot. An 8-frame, complete except comb honey sections and comb foundation, in crates of 5, \$12.50 Each.

Our prices are the same or less than reliable Eastern houses, and you save time by enabling the lungs to contribute pure life-giving and life-sustaining oxygen to the blood and tissues. Kerr's Pharmacy, Jackson.

Good For Children.

The pleasant to take and harmless One Minute Cough Cure gives immediate relief in all cases of Cough Croup and LaGrippe because it does not pass immediately into the stomach, but takes effect right at the seat of the trouble. It draws out the inflammation, heals and soothes and cures permanently by enabling the lungs to contribute pure life-giving and life-sustaining oxygen to the blood and tissues. Kerr's Pharmacy, Jackson.

No sideboard is quite complete without a bottle of "Jesse Moore" rye or bourbon whisky. It is better than the kind you have always considered best.

Money in Honey

As a business. A fascinating occupation for spare time. You can keep from 1 to 1000 live in town. We are headquarters for

Bee Hives

and beekeeping supplies. Langstroth Hives, all sizes, the latest and best, stock ready to ship instantly, \$4.00 or set up 1, or 1000 lot. An 8-frame, complete except comb honey sections and comb foundation, in crates of 5, \$12.50 Each.

Our prices are the same or less than reliable Eastern houses, and you save time by enabling the lungs to contribute pure life-giving and life-sustaining oxygen to the blood and tissues. Kerr's Pharmacy, Jackson.

Good For Children.

The pleasant to take and harmless One Minute Cough Cure gives immediate relief in all cases of Cough Croup and LaGrippe because it does not pass immediately into the stomach, but takes effect right at the seat of the trouble. It draws out the inflammation, heals and soothes and cures permanently by enabling the lungs to contribute pure life-giving and life-sustaining oxygen to the blood and tissues. Kerr's Pharmacy, Jackson.

No sideboard is quite complete without a bottle of "Jesse Moore" rye or bourbon whisky. It is better than the kind you have always considered best.

Money in Honey

As a business. A fascinating occupation for spare time. You can keep from 1 to 1000 live in town. We are headquarters for

Bee Hives

and beekeeping supplies. Langstroth Hives, all sizes, the latest and best, stock ready to ship instantly, \$4.00 or set up 1, or 1000 lot. An 8-frame, complete except comb honey sections and comb foundation, in crates of 5, \$12.50 Each.

Our prices are the same or less than reliable Eastern houses, and you save time by enabling the lungs to contribute pure life-giving and life-sustaining oxygen to the blood and tissues. Kerr's Pharmacy, Jackson.

Good For Children.

The pleasant to take and harmless One Minute Cough Cure gives immediate relief in all cases of Cough Croup and LaGrippe because it does not pass immediately into the stomach, but takes effect right at the seat of the trouble. It draws out the inflammation, heals and soothes and cures permanently by enabling the lungs to contribute pure life-giving and life-sustaining oxygen to the blood and tissues. Kerr's Pharmacy, Jackson.

No sideboard is quite complete without a bottle of "Jesse Moore" rye or bourbon whisky. It is better than the kind you have always considered best.

Money in Honey

As a business. A fascinating occupation for spare time. You can keep from 1 to 1000 live in town. We are headquarters for

Bee Hives

and beekeeping supplies. Langstroth Hives, all sizes, the latest and best, stock ready to ship instantly, \$4.00 or set up 1, or 1000 lot. An 8-frame, complete except comb honey sections and comb foundation, in crates of 5, \$12.50 Each.

Our prices are the same or less than reliable Eastern houses, and you save time by enabling the lungs to contribute pure life-giving and life-sustaining oxygen to the blood and tissues. Kerr's Pharmacy, Jackson.

Good For Children.

The pleasant to take and harmless One Minute Cough Cure gives immediate relief in all cases of Cough Croup and LaGrippe because it does not pass immediately into the stomach, but takes effect right at the seat of the trouble. It draws out the inflammation, heals and soothes and cures permanently by enabling the lungs to contribute pure life-giving and life-sustaining oxygen to the blood and tissues. Kerr's Pharmacy, Jackson.

No sideboard is quite complete without a bottle of "Jesse Moore" rye or bourbon whisky. It is better than the kind you have always considered best.

NEWS OF THE WEEK

Short News Items of Interest to the Ledger Readers.

Butterick Patterns at Redlick's. For a good potato try Caminetti's Burbancks.

Jas. Jay Wright has returned from his trip abroad.

Supervisor Amick was up from Ione on a business trip Wednesday.

20 yds. bleached muslin, 36 inches wide for \$1.00 at Redlick's.

Pioneer Flour is the "Lily of the Valley," the "Pearl of Perfection."

C. W. Schacht, Dentist, Webb building. Hours—9 to 12 a. m.; 1 to 5 p. m. Saturdays 9 to 12 a. m.; 1 to 4 p. m.

Miss Mamie Hall returned to Oakland on Monday, to resume her studies at the high school.

Lawyer Bolo was a passenger on the down stage Sunday. He expects to spend a short time in the city.

Thos. O. Heydenfeldt, secretary of the Zella Mining Company, came up from the city Wednesday evening.

St. Augustine's church—Service Sunday morning next, 11 a. m.; Sunday school 10 a. m. every Sunday.

\$1.00 for women's colonial slippers at Redlick's.

Dr. Aiken returned to Jackson Saturday. The doctor is interested in mining properties in this and Calaveras counties.

Everybody has a favorite flavor. Perry & Moon have every flavor of ice cream. Their candies are the sweetest thing out.

See the new line of Orthopedic shoes for men at \$3.50. Agents, Jackson Shoe Store.

The Jackson Band and M. I. Club will give a concert from the Dispatch balcony Sunday afternoon, weather permitting.

S. G. Spagnoli and family took their departure from Jackson last Saturday morning for Point Richmond, where they will engage in the hotel business as mentioned in the Ledger heretofore.

Ladies' patent kid oxfords and all the latest styles just arrived at the Jackson Shoe Store.

C. T. La Grave, who is well known throughout Amador county, and is now a revenue inspector in the employ of the government, has been making the rounds of the distilleries in this vicinity during the past week.

See our new line of oxfords for children; also miss patent kid; also good black kid, just arrived at the Jackson Shoe Store.

M. E. church services April 19—Sunday school, 10 a. m.; sermons, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Epworth League, 6:30 p. m.

For up-to-date goods go to Jackson Shoe Store. We lead, others follow.

A quiet wedding took place at the M. E. parsonage, Pine Grove, when William C. McLane and Mrs. Emma C. James were joined together in the bonds of matrimony. George Sheppard and Mrs. Rose Williams witnessed the ceremony, and many friends wish the happy couple a pleasant future.

Sutter Creek and Ione taxpayers don't have to come to Jackson to settle with the county. Sheriff Norman has arranged with Bank of Jackson, Dennis and Surface & Son to receive taxes in their vicinity. Taxes will be delinquent Monday, April 27, and the books will positively be closed on that date.

John Batchelder, one of the few men working at the Kennedy, on Wednesday strained his back while lifting a sack of sulphurets, and was obliged to go to his home in the middle of the afternoon on account of the injury. No serious result is expected.

75c for ladies' black kid oxfords at Redlick's.

Gottlieb Woerle, who has been the brewer at the Jackson brewery for several years, left for San Francisco last Saturday, where he has an offer of a more lucrative position. Mr. Woerle is well posted in his line of business, and will without doubt, meet with success wherever he goes.

The following marriage licenses were issued by county clerk Culbert since April 11, 1903: Edgar N. Ekbl, aged 44, to Maud C. Gregory, aged 21, both of Forest Home; Harry S. Cobb, aged 23, to Avis Lillian Eddy, aged 20, both of Sutter Creek; John Brosca, aged 24, to Mary Viara, aged 23, both of Jackson.

No trouble to show goods. Just step in and see our new lines at the Jackson Shoe Store.

The printing material which was used until recently in the publication of the Miners' Union was moved last Wednesday from Miners' hall on Court street, to Whitmore's lumber yard, where it has been stored away. The prospects are anything but propitious for new ventures in the field of journalism just now.

The funeral of Angelo Ferrari, who died last Thursday, took place Monday afternoon. The services were conducted by Father Gleeson of the Catholic church. The deceased was a member of the A. O. U. W. and the Druids. Large delegations from each of the lodges attended the funeral, and escorted the remains to their final resting place in the Catholic cemetery.

Lemons, oranges, and bananas constantly on hand at Caminetti's Mkt.

Henry Smallfield and Edward Freeman were out hunting last Saturday, the latter having a 22 caliber weapon. The gun was accidentally discharged in some unexplained manner, the ball passing through young Smallfield's foot, producing a painful wound, which has kept him from attending school since. The boy Freeman left for Oakland early this week to attend school there.

Mrs. T. Rotagliatta has postponed the dance that was advertised to take place in Amador next Saturday. This action was necessitated by the outbreak of smallpox in the family of Grainger at Drytown, whose orchestra was announced to furnish the music. The house was placed under quarantine, and no other course was left but postponement. No other date has been fixed for the dance as yet.

A Smashed Wheel.

A collision occurred last Friday afternoon on the Kennedy road just out of town, between one of Picardo's freight teams and a buggy belonging to Wilford Dennis. The buggy was occupied by Mrs. Botto of Sutter Creek, Charlie Parker and little Jack Dennis, who were on their way to Mrs. Botto's home when the buggy met the team in front of Dr. Schacht's house. It turned out to the right, but not far enough to allow the freight team to pass in safety, as both wheels of one of the wagons struck the buggy, and smashed one of the wheels to pieces, but fortunately none of the occupants were injured. They were obliged to postpone their trip on account of the disabled wheel. There seems to be a difference of opinion between Dennis and Picardo wherein the fault lies. The former claiming that the buggy had turned out as far as it could, and that the driver of the team made no attempt to swing his team to the opposite side of the road. Dennis will undoubtedly make a claim for damages, and we trust the matter will be settled satisfactorily to both parties.

Accidentally Shot.

The eleven year old son of Emanuel Garibaldi was accidentally shot by his cousin last Saturday forenoon near his home on the south fork, about four miles from Jackson. From Dr. Endicott, who was called to wait upon the wounded boy, we learn that the two Garibaldi boys, cousins, with another boy, were hunting for some stray cat at the time of the accident. The eldest cousin was carrying a gun on his shoulder which was full cocked, and while in the act of raising the gun to shoot a hawk which was flying overhead it was accidentally discharged, and the charge struck the eleven year old boy in the leg just below the groin, inflicting a very dangerous wound and causing a great loss of blood before Dr. Endicott appeared on the scene. The boy was lying on his back, and he being summoned as soon as the parents of the boy were notified. The boy was delirious and very weak for several days, but is now improving, and the doctor has strong hopes of his recovery.

A Narrow Escape.

Monday morning Wm. Finn, the machinist in Garbarini Bro's. shop, had a narrow escape from serious injury, had he been allowed only by the coolheadedness of himself and Joe Garbarini. The two men were replacing a belt that had come off a pulley on the line shaft. Finn was standing on a ladder, and while the pulley was in motion he was using his hands to replace the belt. One of his sleeves caught in the belt, and his arm was pulled down, and he fell from the ladder by the rapidly moving belt, and his body was drawn up against the frame-work that held the shaft in position. Realizing his perilous position he called to Garbarini, whose back was turned at the time, and the latter, who was at once, and with what assistance Finn could give him they pulled back on the belt with sufficient force to throw off the driving belt on the engine, which caused the machinery to stop. Finn was fortunate to escape with a good scare and a few bruises, for which he is very thankful, as it might have been much worse.

Tribute to a Friend.

Arthur Greenwood was born in Amador City September 14, 1886. The greater portion of his young life was spent in Jackson, where he was known to all as a good, industrious, but studious at school, and always cheerful and willing to help make his home a pleasant one. For the past three years he has lived at Middle Bar with his parents, and has been a great help to his family as well as the entire community in which he lived, as he was universally loved, and always had a pleasant smile for his acquaintances and playmates. His death was caused by heart failure, provoked by improved the amount of the blood, thus cutting down a young and noble life. He was buried in Jackson by the side of his twin sister Alice, who died two years ago.

Tramping on the Lode.

The university students arrived in Jackson last Friday afternoon on schedule time. They were touring to mother lode, taking in the mines in Tuolumne, Calaveras, and Amador counties. Forty-three students, all of whom are studying mining or geological courses, accompanied by their professors, made up the party. They walked from Jamestown, and stopped at the various mines along the route. The boys all express themselves as enjoying the outing, and were well pleased to be in the state capital. They left Jackson on Saturday for Ione, from which place they took the train for Berkeley.

Twice a Day.

J. Steiner, who owns the stage line between Jackson and Plymouth, has placed another daily stage on the run. It leaves Jackson at 7 a. m., and arrives in Plymouth in time to connect with the El Dorado stage which enables a person to reach Placerville in a day. The improved service will be a great convenience to the traveling public.

An Angel Wedding.

James B. Taylor, a "Jackson boy," son of B. F. Taylor of this place, was married in Angels Camp on Wednesday, April 15, to Miss Mildred M. Gazzola. Ernest is a well-to-do merchant at the Calaveras metropolis, and his many friends in Amador county wish he and his bride a happy and prosperous life.

Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the Jackson, Cal. postoffice, for the week ending April 17, 1903:

Al Bray, Giacinta Drazza
W. J. Clingpool, Paul Fancher
Ed Goodwin, Mrs. John Helm
John Jack, Mrs. Jose Francisco
P. J. Spignoli

G. C. FOLGER, Postmaster.

Nothing will please an invalid as well as a package of those fancy cakes from Caminetti's Mkt.
Drink El Dorado Brewing Co.'s "Valley Brew." Seldom equalled, never excelled. El Dorado Brewing Co., Stockton, Cal.

Additional Locals.

Butterick Patterns at Redlick's. Give us daily some good bread. Pioneer Flour makes the best.

J. F. Wilson, Dentist. Hours 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Phone Main 104. Jackson, Cal.

5c a yard for apron gingham at Redlick's.

Mrs. Ella Conlon has been appointed marshal to take the census of the Jackson school children.

Our new lines of shoes are here. See them. Jackson Shoe Store.

H. G. Taynton, the manager of the Boer Scout, was in town yesterday, arranging for the lecture on Tuesday evening.

Talk about swell stockings. You want to see the new line just arrived at the Jackson Shoe Store.

Capt. W. B. Webber, and Geo. H. Gray, "veteran knights of the grip," were in Jackson Thursday on their regular monthly rounds.

Olives, salami, swiss, limburger, Martin's cream and California cheese at Caminetti's Mkt.

Children like to give parties and picnics these bright days, grow folks do too. Phone Perry & Moon for the ice cream.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bross of Colorado, came to Jackson last Saturday evening, on a visit to the family of James Avise. Mrs. Bross is a sister of Mr. Avise.

Our new lines of Kingsbury hats just arrived. See the latest styles and best hat in town. Jackson Shoe Store.

Miss Maggie Avise, who has been spending the Easter vacation with her parents, returned Sunday to Sacramento, where she will resume her studies.

A social dance will be given at F. Ledoux's place, Oneida valley, on Saturday, April 25. Music by Prof. Beach's orchestra. A chicken raviola supper will be served. An enjoyable time is guaranteed to all participants.

Dr. Hutchins, who formerly practiced medicine in Jackson, is enjoying a visit at the Ketchum farm, a short distance from town. The doctor has been living at Woodbridge for a number of years.

10c for children's straw hats at Redlick's.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cox of Mokelumne Hill, have gone to San Francisco, where they intend to reside permanently. They leave with the best wishes of the people of this community.

Don't be behind times; buy the latest and that you can always find at the Jackson Shoe Store.

Spring samples of cloth for men's, tailor made suits have been received from M. Born & Co. by Redlick's, their agents for Amador Co. For perfect fitting, best quality and lowest prices, they have no equal. Satisfaction guaranteed or you do not take the garments. No deposit required.

This Mark Means Redlick's for the Brown Shoe Co's. Redlick's are exclusive agents for Jackson.

James Arthur Greenwood of Middle Bar, died Saturday last. The funeral was conducted Monday last at the home of the parents, by Rev. Wm. Tison. Past of the Episcopal choir attended the funeral. The remains were interred in the Jackson cemetery.

25c for men's straw fedora hats at Redlick's.

A meeting of the property-holders and business men generally has been called to meet in Webb hall this Friday evening at 7:30, to consider what steps can be taken in the present unfortunate labor controversy. A full attendance is requested.

Lecture on Boer War.

On Tuesday evening, April 21, in Love's hall, Jackson, the famous Boer scout, Capt. Ollie Henry, and his Boer wife, late from the battlefields of South Africa, will give the grandest entertainment of modern times. The chance of a lifetime to hear and learn the truth from those who have been actual participants in this great struggle for life and liberty. Capt. Henry was condemned to be shot by the British; his home destroyed; his wife and babies thrown into the street, where they caused the death of the children. The truth revealed and England exposed. A genuine reproduction of the greatest battles that took place between the Boers and British, from scenes brought to the battlefields by Capt. Henry. Capt. Henry's heroic deeds and scenes were never to be forgotten. There will be 2500 feet of moving pictures in addition to the above program, which pleases all. This entertainment is genuine, and endorsed by the press and public as the most soul stirring to the hearts of all true Americans. Admission 35c and 25c. Reserved seats at Spagnoli Drug Store.

Committed for Insanity.

Louis Quirolo, who has been in the hospital for several weeks, was examined for insanity last Saturday by Drs. Endicott and Gall, and committed to the insane asylum at Stockton. He was violently insane when taken to the hospital. It was hoped that he would recover by his medical balance, but these hopes were not realized. He grew more violent and dangerous, and threatened to kill the superintendent, A. C. Barrett, attacking him with an iron rod. The only recourse left was to send him to the state hospital. He was conveyed to Stockton in charge of deputy sheriff H. E. Kay Sunday morning.

A Surprise Party.

A surprise party was given for Miss Mae Rose at her home at Jackson Gate on April 11, in honor of her 16th birthday. A very pleasant party was given in dancing, playing games, singing songs and all kinds of other enjoyable entertainments. The party was given to a splendid lunch, where the happy guests were entertained. The giving of presents was a feature of the party, and the happy gathering departed for their homes, wishing Miss Rose one hundred more such birthdays, and that they may be present and enjoy the same every year. The presenters were: Miss Winnie May, Winnie Williams, Aneta Phillips, Ethel Griffin, Ethel Jordan, Ora Angove, Eva Leak, Mae Rose, Mrs. Delahide, Dudley Loughton, Johnnie Ratto, Samuel Flagg, Ernest Lemm, Johnnie Rose, Herbert Tucker, Al Mattley, Bert Jones, Phil Roberts, Elmer Dufrone.

22c for boy's crash hats at Redlick's.

A STRIKE DECLARED

All Mines of Jackson District Under the Ban of W. F. M.

The much-talked-of strike came to a head on Monday morning. All kinds of opinions had been indulged in for several days before the eventful time came, as to what would come to pass. It was well known that the strength of the miners' union in actual members employed at the several mines in this neighborhood was not great. But the question of what effect a strike declared by the union would have upon those not identified with the local organization was an entirely different question. This was the vital point. Would the non-union men continue work in face of the strike. If they surrendered with the rest the matter would assume a very serious phase for the mother lode mines. Sunday night the union held its usual weekly meeting. That was supposed to be the time when the report of the committee appointed to serve the demands upon the superintendents would be made.

Early Monday morning notices were posted around town, and in the vicinity of the mines concerned, to the following effect:

Strike Notice—Notice is hereby given to all men of Jackson district that a strike is declared on all mines and mills of Oneida, Zella, Gwin, Kennedy, Central Eureka and South Eureka mines.

M. W. Moor, of W. F. M.

V. D. OULD, Pres.

At the change of shift at the mines named, delegations of union men went to the mines, not in large bodies, but in squads of two or three, and intercepted the men as they were going to and from employment. They were stationed too at all trails and roads leading to the works. Web Smith, superintendent of the Kennedy, and J. H. Hampton, superintendent of the Oneida, objected to the invasion of the grounds by the strikers—or rather the union forces who were determined to inaugurate a strike. Most of the employees were persuaded to turn back. Some were interviewed at the Kennedy works. The superintendent told the men that they would be protected while on the premises or at work. This was not broad enough for the men. They were informed that if they worked they would be blacklisted by the union. No actual violence was indulged in. The leaders were shrewd enough to tell the men to avoid demonstrations of violence, to refrain from carrying weapons; promises of good behavior were made to the officers. Nevertheless the impression was conveyed that the path of safety lay in quitting work. Practically all the underground toilers of the Kennedy, Central Eureka, and South Eureka quit work. Many did so simply because they saw the others turning back.

At the Oneida superintendent Hampton would not allow interference inside inclosure. The boarding and sleeping houses of the company would accommodate fifty men at least; they were guaranteed protection; twenty-four men out of considerably over 100 refused to go out, and went to work.

At the Zella the pickets were posted on the road and every avenue of approach. But notwithstanding every man reported for work at the morning shift, except one. W. F. Detert, the superintendent, was exceedingly gratified at this result. The men were satisfied with their work and pay, and showed it by refusing to listen to the solicitations of the strikers.

All through the day the ranks of the union forces were swelled by new members. Common rumor says by 40 new men joined Sunday night; Monday over 100 are said to have joined. The initiation fee of \$3, it was said, would be raised to \$10 in a day or two. Whether the men were promised support from the funds of the federation we do not know. Rumors are current on both sides of this question. Seeing the success of the move to get the men out, it is not surprising that there was a strong accession to the union side.

In the afternoon, as the change of shift at the Zella approached, the union men gathered in their hall on Court street, and from there marched through Main street, in double file over 100 strong, to the Zella works, the object being to show sufficient strength to induce the men not to go to work. The strikers kept in the road and sidewalk. They did not go beyond the large gate on the north of the works. Every man going to or coming from the mine was surrounded and made the fusillade of persuasion. Most of the marchers were Austrians, many of them strangers in Jackson. Naturally the employees were overawed by the show of numbers. A few went on to the mine, but not enough to justify work. W. F. Detert was in his office. He expected a demonstration of this character. He watched the procession, and not only from inside the inclosure, but also walked through the mass of strikers lining the sidewalk. Underground work is suspended. The mine, as with all the rest, is being kept free from water, but how long this will continue is uncertain. There was no enough out to run the mill until Saturday, when it shut down also.

Tuesday the force at the Oneida was reduced about one-half. On that day, rumors were afloat that the strikers intended to make a demonstration at the Gwin mine. Early in the afternoon they marched from their hall, the procession headed by the American flag. By actual count 166 filed out. These were joined by others at different points, and no doubt the force all told was fully 200 strong. They set out to tramp the whole distance, fully six miles, over a rough road. They had not been gone more than half an hour, when word reached here that the management of the Gwin had anticipated the move by discharging all the men, except enough to keep the works in order. This completed the move of the mines heretofore.

Nearly 1000 men are idle. Property that cost fully two million dollars to bring it to its present position is at a standstill. How long this state of affairs will continue is the perplexing question. It is being asked by bus-

ness men and property holders generally. The outlook is really alarming. On the one hand it is claimed, that Jackson hereafter is bound to be a union town, and that it is better to bow to the inevitable, and look around to see if there be not some common ground upon which the two interests may meet and settle the difference. The matter of hours is the great stumbling block with the miners. Scores of men went out on this score, who would not have quit if this issue had not been raised.

On the other hand, the matter of submitting to the demands of any organization on this question is a serious matter to the mine owners. Altogether the situation is dubious. Business of all kinds is practically at a standstill, in sympathy with the mines. Unless promptly settled the situation will be come more critical as time goes by. The presence of 500 or 600 idle men is a source of danger in itself. It must be said that those at the head of the strike movement, are, by advice and example, doing all they can to prevent breaches of the peace. It is hoped that they will be able to keep their forces in control to the end.

WEDNESDAY.

In this crisis events have followed each other with startling rapidity. Wednesday morning brought developments of ominous import. First came the report that the South Eureka had decided to quit, allowing the mine to fill with water. This property has struggled along for fourteen years. Its shaft has been driven down twenty-three hundred feet, with exploration drifts and crosscuts in every direction, in the hope of developing a paying mine. The prospecting in progress when the strike was declared revealed an ore-body of a better grade. Stockholders were encouraged. Now, their hope has been turned to despair. To face labor troubles in the teeth of long years of unremunerative outlay, was more than the company felt justified in enduring. So a complete shut down has been ordered. As the works of the South Eureka are connected with those of the Central Eureka, it is doubtful whether the two mines can be drained through the one shaft of the latter mine. A burden is thereby thrown upon the Central Eureka—a dividend paying mine—which it is entirely unprepared to assume, adding materially to the difficulty of the situation.

Next came the report that N. P. Williams and other carpenters on their way to work at the east shaft of the Kennedy had been met by a body of strikers and turned back. Also, that E. Brown, engineer at the Kennedy old shaft, had been stopped on his way home from shift, and intimidated, resulting in stopping the hoisting of water, and preparations for closing the shaft. This news, although not surprising to many, struck the community as a thunder clap. It meant the beginning of the end. It appears that a mob of strikers, about sixty in number, stopped Williams and others. M. W. Moor was spokesman. In the case of Brown, he met ten or twelve union men strung out along the Kennedy grade. He was on horseback, and his horse is near Scottville, and he rides to and from his work. He was asked to join the union, and refused. Then he was told not to go to work; that that would serve them as well as becoming a member. Finally he was informed that it would be better for him not to return to his work. Coming in this way he naturally interpreted the language in the nature of threats. He rode back to the Kennedy office and reported what had occurred. Told the superintendent that he would rather throw up his job than have to run the risk of violence in the distance of several miles that he had to traverse in riding to and from. Mr. Smith, the superintendent, said he could not blame him for feeling that way; that it was not necessary to report for work in the evening as he had received word from the officers to plank down the shaft. He was honorably discharged. Men were sent down the mine to gather up the tools to that end.

At the Oneida mine the managers resolved to make a determined effort to continue work. A substantial fence inclosed both mine and mill, also boarding and sleeping houses. Superintendent Hampton told the employees he would keep them on the grounds and protect them while there. Under this arrangement he secured some twenty-five men. He had a man posted to keep out intruders. Wednesday afternoon he came to town to warn the strike leaders to keep off the grounds; that if any effort was made to interfere with the men inside there would be trouble. Nevertheless a large body of strikers moved in that direction toward evening. They separated into smaller squads, and took in points at the Kennedy on the way. Superintendent Hampton was aware of the move. Sheriff Norman and Deputy character. He watched the procession, and not only from inside the inclosure, but also walked through the mass of strikers lining the sidewalk. Underground work is suspended. The mine, as with all the rest, is being kept free from water, but how long this will continue is uncertain. There was no enough out to run the mill until Saturday, when it shut down also.

The two men, W. J. Nettie and Geo. Troyan, who have been running a prospect tunnel into the Hoffman ground for many months, were ordered to quit Wednesday evening. This work has been done by W. F. Detert individually at a cost of between \$200 and \$300 per month. It was not included in the strike notice. The incident serves to illustrate how readily movements of this kind, even from the standpoint of its supporters, drift to extremes.

The Zella is one of the mainstays of Jackson. It is now on the ragged edge as it were. Mr. Detert, the superintendent, who has contributed more toward the upbuilding of the town and county than any other man living, and whose efforts in this direction have been poorly appreciated by an ungenerous public, is now, in this storm of misrepresentation and adverse criticism, actually keeping the mine from being flooded and ruined on his own responsibility. The controlling stockholders are in favor of abandonment, while he is staying off this disaster for a few days in



the hope that the sober second thought of the community will offer some solution of the difficulty consistent with his self-respect and convictions of duty.

Thursday the mine managers held a meeting in Sutter Creek to discuss the situation. The representatives were firm and unyielding on the principles at stake, but at the same time evinced a spirit of fairness in treating with employees. The following manifesto expressive of their position was adopted:

To the Public.

The Miners' Union at Jackson on April 13, 1903, declared a strike against the following mines: Gwin, Zella, Kennedy, Oneida, South Eureka and Central Eureka.

We are informed by our employees that at that time the Union had a very small membership, and that few if any of our men belonged to the same, yet by threats and intimidation the Union has caused a great many of our employees to quit work, and have even driven off some of the engineers with the expressed intention of flooding the mines and thus causing almost irreparable damages.

The men themselves who work in our mines have no grievance that we know of; they have never asked for concessions that have not been granted; we are now and always have been willing to treat with our own employees fairly and impartially and give them the best pay and shortest hours our properties can afford.

The ore in the mines in this district is low grade and many of our companies are regularly levying assessments contributed in large part by our resident citizens.

Unless our employees are afforded protection by the authorities we cannot operate our properties, and they will have to remain closed indefinitely.

We therefore ask that law and order be enforced by our law officials, that intimidation and threats cease and that every man who wants to work be permitted to do so.

GWIN MINE DEV. CO. ZELLA MINING COMPANY. KENNEDY M. & M. CO. ONEIDA GOLD M. & M. CO. SOUTH EUREKA M. CO. CENTRAL EUREKA M. CO. Sutter Creek, Cal., April 16, 1903.

Twenty-first Anniversary.

Friday night, April 10, Golden Star Chapter No. 66, O. E. S., celebrated their twenty-first anniversary at their hall. These annual gatherings are always looked forward to by the members of the chapter and their friends, as their reputation for a royal good time is established so well that a mere announcement of the occasion is sure to bring out more people than the Masonic hall can accommodate. This anniversary, however, was more than those of former years. Not only had the chapter attained its lawful twenty-one years of age and could look back upon a childhood of peace, harmony and prosperity, but something else was "doing." It was known that two worthy members, tried and true, were one the eve of taking their departure from Jackson, and to bid a fond farewell to Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Spagnoli was the last but not least event of the occasion. While the gathering was in progress, the death of one of the members of the chapter, Mr. Herbert Tucker, a sixteen year old boy who did not agree with him on the subject, and what might have been a serious fight was checked by the constable, and Gardella lodged in jail. A complaint was filed against him this morning. This has been the first arrest in Jackson during the past ten days, which speaks well for all concerned, in the present condition of affairs.

Married at the Catholic Church.

John Brosca and Miss Mary Viara were married at the Catholic church Wednesday morning by Rev. Father Gleeson. Paul Poggi was the best man and Miss Caroline Torre bridesmaid. The wedding was a quiet affair, only a few relatives and friends being present, owing to the recent death of the brother of Mr. Brosca. Immediately after the wedding the happy couple left for Drytown. They expect to make Jackson their future home.

He Kept His Leg.

Two years ago J. W. Sullivan, of Hartford, Conn., scratched his leg with a rusty wire. Inflammation and blood poison set in. For two years he suffered intensely. Then the best doctors urged amputation, "but," he writes, "I used one of the Electric Bitters and I 1-2 boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve and my leg was sound and well as ever." For Eruptions, Eczema, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Sores and all blood disorders Electric Bitters has no rival on earth. Try them. D. B. Spagnoli will guarantee satisfaction or refund money. Only 50 cents.

Notice to Creditors.

ESTATE OF HENRY CROLOW, DECEASED. NOTICE is hereby given by the undersigned administrator of the estate of Henry Crolow, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims or demands against said estate, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator at the law office of J. W. Caldwell, Court street, Jackson, Amador County, California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in said county of Amador, State of California. Dated April 14th, 1903.

MARY E. CROLOW, Administrator of the estate of Henry Crolow, deceased. J. W. Caldwell, attorney for administrator. apr 16

75c for percale wrappers at Redlick's.

Has world-wide fame for marvelous cures. It surpasses any other salve, ointment or balm for Cuts, Corns, Burns, Boils, Sores, Chapped Hands, Skin Eruptions; Infalible for Piles. Cure guaranteed. Only 25c at D. B. Spagnoli's.

MINING NOTES.

ARGONAUT-KENNEDY.—A dispatch was received in Jackson Monday that the supreme court of the United States had denied the petition of the Kennedy Company for a rehearing in the celebrated suit between these two companies which has been dragging through the courts for the past eight years. This settles the matter finally. There is no other recourse left for reopening the case. Nothing intervenes to the starting up of work on the Argonaut property except the labor troubles. The uncertainty of the situation cannot fail to delay matters, as contractors for supplies are timid about getting out timbers and other needed material. The "strike clause" leaves the company at liberty to decline the supplies contracted for in the event of a strike. So the timber and lagging business is crippled by the suspense.

School Census Marshals.

MISCELLANEOUS ADVERTISEMENTS.

KNIGHT & CO.

Foundry and Machine Shop

Sutter Creek, Cal.

BUILDERS OF WATER WHEELS OF latest and most approved patterns, and all kinds of shafts, iron and steel, for mining and milling machinery made at the shortest notice. We desire to call the attention of blacksmiths and other workers in iron to the fact that we keep constantly on hand a large stock of pipe, gas fittings, etc., which we will sell at the LOWEST CASH PRICES.

J. GHIGLIERI & BRO.

Cosmopolitan Liquor Store

JACKSON GATE, CAL.

Dealers and Jobbers in foreign and domestic

WINES, LIQUORS & CIGARS

SELECTED stock of Imported Goods. Choice California Wines, popular brands. Eastern and Domestic Beers; special bottling. Havana, Key West and New York Cigars. Bourbon, Rye, Sweet and Sour Mash Whiskies of celebrated distilleries. Just ly

Visit DR. JORDAN'S Great

Museum of Anatomy

1031 MARKET ST. Mt. St. & 7th, S. F. Cal.

The Largest of its kind in the World

We are continually adding new specimens

and learn how wonderfully you are made

and how to avoid sickness and disease. If you

suffer from any of the ills of men, come to the

Museum. We will show you the cause of the

ill and the best way to cure it. We will

show you the structure of the human body

and the function of every organ. We will

show you the progress of the human race

from the lowest to the highest. We will

show you the influence of the environment

on the human body. We will show you the

influence of the human body on the environment.

We will show you the influence of the

human body on the environment. We will

show you the influence of the environment

on the human body. We will show you the

influence of the human body on the environment.

We will show you the influence of the

human body on the environment. We will

show you the influence of the environment

on the human body. We will show you the

influence of the human body on the environment.

We will show you the influence of the

human body on the environment. We will

show you the influence of the environment

on the human body. We will show you the

influence of the human body on the environment.

We will show you the influence of the

human body on the environment. We will

show you the influence of the environment

on the human body. We will show you the

influence of the human body on the environment.

We will show you the influence of the

human body on the environment. We will

show you the influence of the environment

on the human body. We will show you the

influence of the human body on the environment.

We will show you the influence of the

human body on the environment. We will

show you the influence of the environment

on the human body. We will show you the

influence of the human body on the environment.

We will show you the influence of the

human body on the environment. We will

show you the influence of the environment

on the human body. We will show you the

influence of the human body on the environment.

We will show you the influence of the

human body on the environment. We will

show you the influence of the environment

on the human body. We will show you the

influence of the human body on the environment.

We will show you the influence of the

human body on the environment. We will

show you the influence of the environment

on the human body. We will show you the

influence of the human body on the environment.

We will show you the influence of the

human body on the environment. We will

show you the influence of the environment

on the human body. We will show you the

influence of the human body on the environment.

We will show you the influence of the

human body on the environment. We will

show you the influence of the environment

on the human body. We will show you the

influence of the human body on the environment.

We will show you the influence of the

human body on the environment. We will

show you the influence of the environment

on the human body. We will show you the

influence of the human body on the environment.

We will show you the influence of the

human body on the environment. We will

show you the influence of the environment

on the human body. We will show you the

influence of the human body on the environment.

We will show you the influence of the

human body on the environment. We will

show you the influence of the environment

on the human body. We will show you the

influence of the human body on the environment.

We will show you the influence of the

human body on the environment. We will

show you the influence of the environment

on the human body. We will show you the

influence of the human body on the environment.

We will show you the influence of the

human body on the environment. We will

show you the influence of the environment

on the human body. We will show you the

influence of the human body on the environment.

BANK OF AMADOR COUNTY

Incorporated November, 1898
Capital Stock : : : \$50,000

President.....Alfonso Gnocchio
Vice-President.....S. G. Spagnoli
Secretary and Cashier.....Frederick Eudey
BOARD OF DIRECTORS:
Alfonso Gnocchio, S. G. Spagnoli, John Strohm,
Frederick Eudey and Alex Eudey of Jackson.

SAFE DEPOSIT.—Safe deposit boxes can be rented from the Bank of Amador County at the small expense of 25 cents a month, thereby securing you against any possible loss from fire or otherwise. Don't overlook this opportunity of protecting your valuables.

SAVE MONEY.—Patronize a home institution. Send money away through the Bank of Amador County; you will save 10 per cent and upward over postoffice or express. Money sent to all parts of the United States and also all parts of the world. We have the latest quotations on foreign exchange.

SAVE MONEY.—It doesn't cost anything to deposit money in the Bank of Amador County. They receive deposits from \$5 up. Commence the new year by opening up a bank account. A man or woman with a bank account has a financial standing. Don't bury your money; when you die it can't be found and you are liable to be robbed while alive.

The Filters Fill

At all druggists and grocers, 25 cents.

E. GINOCCHIO & BROTHER

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

General Merchandise

Water Street, Foot of Broadway, Jackson

WE TAKE PLEASURE IN INFORMING OUR PATRONS and the public generally that we have on hand a very choice selection of DRY GOODS of all kinds, CLOTHES and PROVISIONS, CLOTHING, BOOTS AND SHOES. We particularly direct the attention of the public to the fact that we keep on hand the largest assortment of IRON and STEEL to be found in Amador county. Also a superior assortment of all kinds of HARDWARE, such as Carriage Bolts, Screws, Nuts, Nails, and in fact, everything the market demands. We are sole agents for the celebrated HURDLES POWDER, of which we shall constantly keep on hand a large supply.

THE NEW

NATIONAL HOTEL

FOOT OF MAIN STREET
JACKSON, CAL.

FIRST-CLASS ACCOMMODATIONS FOR TRAVELERS AT REASONABLE PRICES

Sample Room for Commercial Travelers

Rooms Newly Furnished Throughout

Table Supplied With the Best in the Market

BAR Supplied With the Finest Brands of

Wines, Liquors and Cigars

F. A. VOORHEIS, Proprietor

PIONEER FLOUR IS PERFECTION

Made From SELECTED WHEAT

Blended According to Our Own Formula

Producing Perfect Results and

Bread Divinely Fair and Featherly Light

Sweet to the Palate's Touch and

Snowy White

PIONEER FLOUR MILLS, SACRAMENTO

A Careful Investigation

Will convince every one that

THE Amador

Ledger

is one of the CLEANEST, BRIGHTEST and PRO-

GRESSIVE Newspapers of the day.

IT IS THE OFFICIAL PAPER OF AMADOR COUNTY.

Local Social News, Agricultural and Political

Notes and Accurate Accounts of the Lat-

est Movements at the Mines Along the

Mother Lode.

ADVERTISERS will find THE LEDGER read

in a great majority of the

HOMES, OFFICES, and BUSINESS HOUSES in

this and adjoining counties.

JOB PRINTING

You need it in your business, but you want it done

neatly and in an up-to-date style, and of course at a

moderate price. We can furnish you with anything you

need in the printing line, but to jog your memory will

mention Bill Heads, Statements, Receipts, Envelopes,

Note Heads, Calling and Wedding Cards, Posters, etc.

Orders by mail will be promptly attended to.

Amador County Publishing Co.,

P. O. Box 234. Jackson, Cal.

Telephone, Main 423.

Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic

has stood the test 25 years. Average Annual Sales over One and a Half Million

bottles. Does this record of merit appeal to you? No Cure, No Pay. 50c.

Enclosed with every bottle is a Ten Cent package of Grove's Black Root Liver PILLS.

900 DROPS
CASTORIA

Vegetable Preparation for Assimilating the Food and Regulating the Stomachs and Bowels of

INFANTS & CHILDREN

Promotes Digestion, Cheerfulness and Rest. Contains neither Opium, Morphine nor Mineral. NOT NARCOTIC.

Prepared by Dr. J. C. F. PITCHER

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

Pamphlet Sent -

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have

Always Bought

Bears the

Signature

of

In Use

For Over

Thirty Years

CASTORIA

THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.

A STRANGE LEGEND.

Origin of a Curious Custom Observed by Bulgarian Masons.

Nine master masons who were engaged in building a citadel in the time of the Volovod, Nengoe found on returning to their work each morning that the portion of the wall which they had completed the day before had fallen to pieces during the night and was lying in a heap of ruins in the ditch.

Manol of Curtea, the head mason, informed his comrades one morning that a voice from heaven had warned him in his sleep the night before that their labors would continue to come to naught unless they all swore on that very morning to lumure in the structure the first woman, be it wife, mother, daughter or sister, who should arrive with the morning meal of one or either of them. They all took the oath, and the last man had hardly been sworn when Manol's own wife appeared, carrying her husband's breakfast. The oath was kept, and the woman, known in the legend as "Flora of the Fields," was murdered and her blood and flesh incorporated with the wall of masonry.

A curious practice of the Bulgarian masons, (the above scene is laid in Bulgaria), which survives to this day, testifies to the vitality of the legend. To insure the solidity of the houses they build they measure with a reed the shadow of the first person who passes after the digging of the foundation has been completed. When the foundation is commenced, this reed is buried under the first rock, usually the cornerstone.

Where Barley Is Cultivated.

Barley extends over a wider climatic range than any of the other grains and is successfully cultivated over a greater breadth of the globe than any other cereal. It flourishes under the heat and drought of the borders of the torrid zone and grows sturdily and maturely on the northern verge of the temperate zone, ripening and thriving under various adverse circumstances which wheat is wholly unable to resist. Barley is found in the Faroe Islands, near Cape North, the extreme point of Norway; near Archangel, on the White sea, and in central Siberia between 58 and 69 degrees north latitude. In general climates, such as those of Egypt, Barbary and the south of Spain, the yield of barley may be reaped in the same year, one in spring from seed sowed the previous autumn and one in autumn from a spring sowing.

A Lost Combination.

The Chinese had all the grand secrets of electrical discoveries more than 3,000 years ago, and they made use of the magnet as a lodestone long before that. Historical records show where their armies were led across the vast plains of the interior of the nation by a combination of electricity as a combined power of lodestones and some other substances unknown to the Celestials of the present day.

This form of electricity is among the lost arts and must come to the front and other grand discoveries within the next few years. But not the great and learned shall have the benefit of this forthcoming discovery in electricity. The one who shall have this golden key to a grand electric mystery shall have the fruits of his labors.

Contagious Diseases Among Plants.

All the fungous diseases of plants, such as mildew, scab, blight, rust, etc., are contagious. The contagion is carried from year to year in the diseased part, be it leaf, fruit or branch. The presence of any of these diseased material in the orchard or vineyard increases the chance of the appearance and spread of the disease another